

**ORDER SHEET**  
**IN THE HIGH COURT OF SINDH KARACHI**

**C.P No. D-7037 of 2022**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>ORDER WITH SIGNATURE OF JUDGES</b>
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Fresh case

1. For hearing of CMA No.29695/2022.
2. For hearing of Main Case

**07.12.2022**

Mr. Farhan-ul-Hasan Minhas, Advocate for the petitioner.  
Mr. G. M. Bhutto, Assistant Attorney General.  
Mr. M. Khalil Dogar, Advocate for Respondents No.2&3.

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Mr. Naimatullah J. Soomro, Advocate has filed vakalatnama on behalf of Respondent No.5, which is taken on record. Comments filed on behalf of Respondent No.3 are taken on record.

Learned counsel for the petitioner states that he would be satisfied and will not press this petition if directions are issued to the Respondent No.2 before whom he has filed an application dated 19.10.2022 to consider the said application and decide the same in accordance with law after providing opportunity of hearing to the petitioner. Counsel appearing for the Respondents have no objection for disposal of this petition on the said prayer made by the learned counsel for the petitioner.

We therefore under the circumstances direct the Respondent No.2 to take up said application filed by the petitioner and decide the same strictly in accordance with law after providing opportunity of hearing to the petitioner preferably within 15 days' time from the date of receipt of this order.

Petitioner has also prayed for provisional release of his consignments, which are lying at the port. The petitioner is directed to deposit the entire undisputed amount with the concerned Collectorate in the shape of pay order(s)/bank guarantee. The moment concerned Collectorate receives the pay order(s)/bank guarantee of the entire undisputed amount, he would release the goods of the petitioner strictly in accordance with law.

With these directions the instant petition alongwith pending application(s) stands disposed of.

Judge

Judge

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